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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn Boyd Chief Clerk/Administrator **Public Service Commission of South Carolina** 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, SC 29210

RE: Petition of the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff for the Commission to Order a Rule to Show Cause as to Why The Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity for Certain Providers of the Telecommunications Services Should Not Be Revoked; Docket No. 2018-148-C

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing, please find the Answer of XO Communications, Inc. and Exhibit in the above-referenced matter. By copy of this letter, we are providing this filing to the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff and enclose a certificate of service to that effect.

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If you have any questions or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. With best regards, I am

Sincerely,

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cc: C. Lessie Hammonds, Esquire

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This is to certify that I, a Legal Assistant with the law firm Willoughby & Hoefer, P.A., have caused to be served this day one (1) copy of the **Answer of XO Communications, Inc.** in the above-captioned matter by placing same in the care and custody of the United States Postal Service with first class postage affixed thereto and addressed as follows:

C. Lessie Hammonds, Esquire Office of Regulatory Staff 1401 Main Street, Suite 900 Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Cathy G. Caldwell

Columbia, South Carolina This 1st day of June, 2018.